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The People's Column

SUNDAY PICTURES

We note that there is some agitation in the interest of Sunday picture shows and other forms of so-called "innocent" amusements. We have no time, because of other engagements just now, to write more than a few words on this subject, but do want to say a thing or two.

First, we would observe that that term, "innocent amusements" in this day seems to be very much overworked—spread out, as it were, to meet the convenience of thought, conduct and desire of very many whose aims are materialistic and whose desire is chiefly for financial gain or physical pleasure.

Any form of amusement which violates the law of God and the law of the State is not innocent amusement. The fact that other communities are doing it is no reason why we should. There are multitudes whose conduct is Godless and immoral, but that is no reason why ours should be. Many (Continued on page 5)

ABOUT BRYAN

COMMISSION RECOMMENDED FOR PURPOSE

Plan Outlined By Sub Committee For Agriculture

MEMBERS OF CABINET

Would Serve As Board To Control Acts Of Exchanges

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 5.—The establishment of a government commission with authority to suspend cotton future exchanges if necessary was recommended today by the senate agricultural subcommittee which conducted an investigation of cotton exchanges as factors causing price depressions.

Mrs. Robert P. Siddall of Anderson was a visitor in Bryan today.

J. W. Longley, with the license and weight department of the state highway commission, was in Bryan today on special business. Mr. Longley was formerly stationed at Bryan but at present during the reorganization of this department of the highway commission he has no headquarters but is working out of Austin. While here Mr. Longley was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gibbs.

CHIEF KEEPER AT AUBURN IS CUT FATALLY

IS THIRD MAN IN PLACE TO DIE AT HANDS OF CONVICTS

(By Associated Press) AUBURN, N. Y., March 5.—Edward Beckwith, principal keeper at Auburn Prison, was stabbed to death today at the prison. He succeeded George Ford, killed in the prison riot last December.

Investigation showed a Spanish inmate who was unidentified stabbed the keeper while the convict was on his way to the mess hall.

Beckwith is the third consecutive principal keeper who has met death at the hands of convicts. James Durnham, Ford's predecessor, was stabbed fatally.

Bank Is Looted Of \$1400; Yeggs Make Get-Away

(By Associated Press) NOWATA, Okla., March 5.—The First State Bank of Alliwa, near here, was robbed of \$1,400 today by two men who escaped toward Blue Canyon, an old rendezvous of outlaws.

NEGRO HEAVILY FINED IN DISTRICT COURT

Charley Jones, negro, was fined \$125 and costs in two cases against him in the criminal section of the district court by Judge W. C. Davis this morning, after a plea of guilty, and a third case against him was dismissed.

Jones pleaded guilty to an aggravated assault on a negro woman, and to carrying a six-shooter. A statutory charge was dismissed.

WEATHER

(Special to The Eagle) NEW ORLEANS, La., March 5. For Bryan and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight.

East and West Texas: Partly cloudy tonight; Thursday, warmer except in south portion.

Ford Objects To Modification of Dry Law

SCORES DEAD AND MILLIONS LOST IN FRENCH FLOOD

Cotton Exchange Control Is Urged By Senators



PRESIDENT'S HAITIAN COMMISSION SAILS

Associated Press Photo
Members of the commission appointed by President Hoover to investigate conditions in Haiti photo taken at Palm Beach, Fla., before sailing for the island republic. Left to right, seated: Henry P. Fletcher, W. Cameron Forbes and William Allen White. Standing: James Kerney and Eli Vezina.

TAX RECEIPTS UP TO FEB. 1 REPORTED

TAX COLLECTOR FERGUSON MAKES REPORT OF WORK IN 1928 AND 1929.

Exhibit Animals To Be Sent From A-M to Big Show

Ten carloads of live stock will be shipped by the animal husbandry department of Texas A. & M. College Thursday morning to Fort Worth, consigned to the Fat Stock Show. The shipments will include 37 hogs, 19 beef cattle, 25 sheep, 14 goats and 14 horses.

The breeds of the animals are as follows: Hogs: Poland China, Hampshire and Duroc Jersey; Beef cattle: Aberdeen-Angus, Shorthorn and Hereford; Sheep: Rambouillet and Merino; Goats: Angora; Horses: Percheron, Morgan and Saddle.

The stock judging team of the animal husbandry department of Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge is working out at the college today and tomorrow, enroute to the Fort Worth show.

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Tax Is Proposed On Gross Income Public Utilities

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, March 5.—The house committee on revenue and taxation today approved the bill of Representative R. M. Hubbard to place a gross receipts tax of half of one percent on electric light, power and water works plants. Hubbard estimated the tax would produce \$500,000 annually.

Additional collections with penalties are being paid now, just as they were last year, after Feb. 1, and the figures given do not take into consideration any redemptions or delinquents or insolvents.

Large Audiences Attend Services By Dr. Thacker

Larger audiences each night are recorded at the evangelistic meetings being held by Dr. J. Ernest Thacker, Presbyterian minister, who is preaching each afternoon at the First Presbyterian church and each evening at the First Baptist.

Tuesday evening Dr. Thacker delivered a sermon on the subject: "The Most Important Subject for the Consideration of the Child of God—Evangelism."

In a powerful appeal which held the attention of his audience Dr. Thacker said, "There are enough Christians in this audience tonight to turn this community upside down, if they are thoroughly consecrated to God and willing to do their best for the salvation of souls."

All residents of Bryan and College are extended a cordial invitation to take part in these services, which will be continued until the evening of Sunday, March 16th.

WEATHER

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, March 5.—Three men were killed last night in the crash of a biplane on the ranch of Will Rogers, comedian. One was identified as Morey Johnson, owner of the plane.

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WATERS FLOOD MOISSAC WHEN DIKES BREAK

Dozens of Inhabitants Trapped By Sudden Rise of Water

HOMES DESTROYED

Section Is Ravaged For Three Days By Floods

(By Associated Press) TOULOUSE, France, March 5.—Property damage estimated at \$40,000,000 with an estimate running from \$30 to 100 dead, constitute the toll so far as known of sudden floods that for three days ravaged central and southern France.

No details of the catastrophe at Moissac where a dike collapsed and waters flooded the city have been received. Dozens of Moissac citizens were trapped as they tried to escape the waters that wrecked their homes.

County Attorney Slowly Recovers; Is Out Each Day

ADVANTAGES STRESSED BY DR. THACKER BEFORE LION MEETING

Benefits resulting from the activities of service clubs were stressed in an address before the Bryan Lions Club Tuesday by Dr. J. Ernest Thacker, Presbyterian minister who is conducting a revival service in Bryan, speaking at the First Baptist in the afternoon and at the First Baptist in the evening.

Speaking of their work Dr. Thacker stated that through their codes and creeds they were helping to inspire men to better things; putting conscience into business everywhere and through personal righteousness putting civic righteousness into the citizenship and through the recognition of personal right, giving more recognition to the rights of others. Corporations, he said, are taking their employees into ownership, sharing earnings with them, and building schools and churches in their midst.

W. Furman Betts, musical director of the Thacker religious campaign, rendered a solo, accompanied at the piano by Miss Maudelle Wiley, who is pianist for the Thacker meeting.

The club had invited as its special guests the cast of the recent Lions minstrel. Some members of the cast were unavoidably prevented from attending. Director Gen.

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10,000 Students

Riot at Manila; Insult Charged

(By Associated Press)

MANILA, March 5.—All police reserves of Manila were called out last night to deal with the strike of 10,000 high school students. Several students and two policemen were beaten, two school officials were threatened with lynching and announcement was made that all strikers might be expelled from schools.

Police Chief Columbus E. Platt said that he was taking precautions against general rioting in Manila, although he believed there was no serious danger.

The situation developed from a strike of high school students a few days ago in protest against what they asserted were insults directed against the Filipino race by Miss Mable Brummitt, a teacher, formerly of Valparaiso, Ind. She denied insulting the race. Miss Brummitt was dismissed.

Taft Is Better; Illness Is Thot Of Fatal Nature

(By Associated Press)

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COTTON MARKET

The cotton market slumped again today. Futures closed from 30 to 40 point down. Local spots were quoted from 14 to 14 1/2 cents.

May Head Republic



Associated Press Photo
Angel Morales, Dominican minister to Washington, has received strong support for provisional presidency of the Dominican republic.

VIIEWS GIVEN HOUSE QUERY EARLY TODAY

Edison Sends Wire; Agrees With Big Auto Maker

GREAT EXPERIMENT

To Benefit Mankind Menlo Park Wizard Believes

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 5.—Henry Ford today placed a vigorous protest before the house judiciary committee against any modification of the 18th amendment and recorded his conviction that the "sane people of the nation would never see it repealed."

The views of the Detroit manufacturer were placed before the committee by Samuel Crowther, economist who read a telegram he received from Mr. Ford in which he said the "18th amendment is recognized by men and women of our country. The women especially are the greatest force for comfort and prosperity in the United States. I feel sure the sane people of the nation will never see it repealed or any dangerous modification made."

Thomas Edison in a telegram also went on record as favoring the retention of the 18th amendment. His message said "prohibition is the greatest experiment yet made to benefit man."

Favor Bryan Girls At Mardi Gras

The Galveston News in describing the spectacular and brilliant final event of Galveston's four-day Mardi Gras celebration crowning the king and queen had the following to say about A. & M. College representatives:

"The audience showed its approval of the appointment of a grand duchess of Texas by loud applause at the announcement of the entrance of Miss Bryan and again grew enthusiastic at the bit of pageantry provided by the representatives of A. & M. College, who were accompanied by a military escort, under whose arched swords they entered."

"Representatives from A. & M. entered with a military escort, advancing beneath an arch of swords. The escort included Robert Farmer, Louis Machemehl, Robert Hobble, Robert Armstrong, C. L. Marshall, Jack Allison and E. M. Giffen, bugler."

Lady Lilla of the House of Bryan, Duchess of A. & M., was gowned in silver sequins and tulle, in the princess mode, with long circular skirt. Her train was of silver metal cloth and tulle, embroidered in sequins and rhinestones and she carried a silver staff. Her slippers were of silver.

"Lady Julia of the House of Ball, maid of honor to Miss Bryan, was garbed in white satin with red roses at the back of the V decolletage. Her train of white satin was lined with red and studded in brilliants. She wore a ruby crown, carried a red staff and wore red slippers.

AIMEE'S ATTORNEY IS AGAIN IN SPOTLIGHT

(By Associated Press) OAKLAND, Calif., March 5.—Friends of Cromwell L. Ormsby, former attorney for Aimee Semple McPherson, the evangelist, notified the Alameda county district attorney today that Ormsby would surrender here tomorrow to face a grand jury indictment charging conspiracy to bribe. Ormsby, with three Alameda county deputy sheriffs and two alleged bootleggers were indicted last week as a result of an investigation into alleged protection of gamblers and bootleggers.

Building of Main Travel Routes Without Regard to Small Centers Of Population Now Modern Trend

By GIB GILCHRIST

State Highway Engineer of Texas

The general complaint or contention for the route of a state highway to pass through the business district of a town or along its most important street is that business is brought to the town by reason of the traffic on the highway. There is no doubt that certain classes of business establishments do profit to a certain degree by transient trade, but it

would seem that a town depending

to any degree on such trade would lack the foundation necessary for stable and continuous growth, i.e., an established and a certain trade territory. It will be appropriate to state here that the solution of the highway or road problem for any community will not be solved until every village and town is either provided with a highway or with a durable connection to the

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Cotton Seed Men Interested in New Building to House Machinery Given to A-M by the Association

COLLEGE STATION, March 6. May 12-14.

Consideration of various organization problems, selection of 1930 convention city for the state association and a somewhat detailed round of inspection of various departments of the college of especial interest to them made up the program of a rather full day for the members of the executive, A. & M. College and educational service committees of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association in session at the A. & M. College of Texas Friday.

Of particular interest in college circles was the voicing of sentiment on the part of visiting cotton seed crushers indicating the desire to cooperate in whatever way may prove feasible in obtaining for the college a modern and permanent structure to house the cotton seed oil mill and refining plant installed by the state association in 1927 as laboratory equipment for the college. The original unit of equipment was installed at cost of \$10,000. Additional equipment has since been installed. Due to lack of other available facilities, this equipment is housed in an old frame building, formerly used as forge shop of the mechanical engineering department. The building is more or less dilapidated and represents a fire hazard. Hope was expressed that the need for a new building may not continue to exist for long.

In selecting Corpus Christi for the 1930 convention of the state association, the executive committee found it necessary to decline with thanks invitations extended by five other Texas cities, El Paso, Dallas, Fort Worth, Galveston and Houston. Dates for the 1930 convention were fixed as April 29, 30 and May 1. In naming these dates the committee voted to hold the convention of the state association for the first time prior to the meeting of the national association which will convene this year at New Orleans, tentative dates being

were: T. J. Harrell, Fort Worth, president of the state association who paid high tribute to the work being done at A. & M. in educating young men for industrial pursuits; Dean F. C. Bottom of the school of engineering of the college; S. W. Wilbor, Paris; J. Webb Howell, Bryan, who took occasion to compliment the summer school work in cotton seed oil instruction; W. L. Weber, Taft, vice president of the state association; Dr. G. S. Frans, state chemist; A. L. Ward, Dallas, director of educational service of the state association, who spoke in high praise of the research work being conducted by the Experiment Station; F. D. Fuller, chief of the feed control service of the Experiment Station; Dr. C. C. Hedges, vice dean of the school of engineering and head of the department of chemistry and chemical engineering; and Fred Hale, chief of the division of swine husbandry of the Experiment Station.

Among other matters, the executive committee considered ways and means of producing a more uniform cotton seed meal cake for range animal needs and better adapted to shipping purposes. T. J. Harrell, Fort Worth, president of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association, presided as chairman at the executive committee meeting. Other members of the committee present included: W. F. Pendleton, Dallas; W. L. Weber, Taft; Charles DuBois, San Antonio; Dan Bond, Vernon. Additional members of the committee, unable to attend, include: J. W. Simmons, Dallas; J. C. Jones, Abilene.

Personnel of the A. & M. College committee includes: H. E. Wilson, Wharton, chairman; S. W. Wilbor, Paris; J. Webb Howell, Bryan; Louis Tobian, Dallas; P. H. Manire, Marshall. All save Mr. Manire were present.

Members of the educational service committee include: W. F. Pendleton, Dallas, chairman; H. E. Montgomery, Palestine; J. Webb Howell, Bryan; H. Warren Lynn, Ballinger. All except Mr. Montgomery were present.

Others present for the joint gathering included: A. L. Ward and George S. Templeton, Dallas, director and assistant director respectively of educational service of the state association; George H. Bennett, Dallas, secretary-treasurer; P. S. Grogan, Corpus Christi; Jack Howell, Bryan.

The cotton seed crushers were guests at noon luncheon and at dinner in the evening at the mess hall annex. M. K. Thornton, Jr., professor of industrial chemistry, presided briefly in opening the program of talks at the luncheon and presented H. E. Wilson and Wharton, chairman of the A. & M. College committee as having been chosen to direct the program. Among those presented by Mr. Wilson and who made brief talks

Mrs. Black Off To Southwest Church Music Conference

Mrs. Jno. W. Black, director of the choir of the First Methodist church, is in Georgetown attending the second annual Southwestern Church Music Conference which is meeting at Southwestern University. She was accompanied to Georgetown by her mother, Mrs. W. A. Scott. More than a hundred choir leaders from all parts of Texas are in attendance.

At 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon more than 100 men and women, representing the various churches, went out on this work and by 3:30 in the afternoon the work was completed. There will be a little follow up work to be done, securing the names of those who were out of the city, or away from home when the census workers called, but this will be done at once and a full report of the religious census will be ready for publication.

Dean O. A. Ulrich welcomed the visitors and was followed with key-note addresses by Dean Meyer and Prof. J. C. Godfrey. Group discussions were led by Roy Repass of San Antonio, George Baker of Austin, Mrs. E. W. Louch of Lufkin and Mrs. Culberson, Dean of San Angelo. Mrs. Harris Masterson of Austin addressed the gathering on "Music for Young People."

Following the discussions and addresses, a musical was held at the First Methodist church, featuring by organ solos by Prof. Horace Whitehouse of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., and music by the San Antonio Main Avenue Glee Club, the Southwestern student chorus and a solo by Elizabeth Mills of the music department of Southwestern.

At the dinner hour on Friday a banquet was tendered the visitors. President King Vivion was toastmaster. The feature of the dinner was an address by Prof. Whitehouse on "Church Music." Following the dinner the choir of the Laurel Heights Methodist church, San Antonio, under the direction of David Ormescher, sang the oratorio, "The Messiah" by Handel, at the university auditorium.

The fight took place at a street intersection in the old French quarter while the day's carnival revelry was at its height. Lawrence was badly beaten about the head and police arrested William Springer, 33-year-old negro, who witnesses said, struck Lawrence with a club. Officers were seeking another negro, Sam Robertson, who police said fired the fatal shot.

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MEN OF TABOR SEEK ACTION IN PATE CASE

WITHDRAW PETITION AFTER CONFERENCE WITH JUDGE DAVIS

Leading citizens of the Tabor community, about 40 in number, presented a petition to District Judge W. C. Davis this morning asking that he reconvene the February grand jury to investigate the statutory charges filed against Sam B. Pate, former principal of the Tabor school, who has made bond and has been held to the grand jury that will be convened May 12.

Judge Davis explained to the delegation, which presented a petition signed by most of the residents of the community, that the state would suffer no loss of rights in the case and that the ends of justice might be better served by bringing the case before the May grand jury than by reconvening the February jury. After Judge Davis had explained the situation and his reasons for delaying grand jury investigation until May, the delegation withdrew their petition and left the court room.

Land Is Pledged To Right of Way On Highway No. 6

A score or more land owners and farmers living along the new route for Highway No. 6 from Bryan to Benchley, met with the county commissioners court this afternoon to discuss the provision of land for the right of way.

According to the statements made early in the meeting most of the landowners will agree to give land for this purpose. Others, who are hesitating now, because of various difficulties in their path, may be able to make the same arrangement later.

In some cases the county has been asked to move back fences, replace wells and do some other work to put properties in the same condition as they were before the new road route is laid out.

It is expected that other arrangements may be held before all arrangements are worked out.

Commissioner Boyett Is Out For 3rd Term

Guy F. Boyett, serving his second term as county commissioner from Precinct No. 1, Saturday announced as a candidate for another term and seeks the support of his friends and constituents in the July primaries.

Speaking of his candidacy, Mr. Boyett said, "I will, at the end of this year, have served you for four years as your commissioner and will have to ask you for your vote and support in the July primaries on my record of the past.

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FORMER BRYAN SCOUT ACTS AS MIAMI MAYOR

When the city of Miami, Florida, was turned over to the Boy Scouts of that city for a day recently, Bill Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker who formerly made their home in Bryan, was appointed to the office of mayor, according to an item clipped from the Miami Herald.

Bill officiated in the capacity of mayor of the city of Miami for just an hour, while his associates in Scouting filled the other offices incident to the city's management and welfare for an equal length of time.

Bryan Pleasing to New Mexico Man

"When you say 8,000 dairy cows for one county it doesn't seem so many, but when you say that many among 2,000 farmers does mean something", said S. M. Seay, secretary of the chamber of commerce at Portales, New Mexico; who is here in Bryan today.

Born and reared in Ballinger, Texas, Mr. Seay has been making his home in New Mexico for the past 12 years.

"We are members of the West Texas chamber of commerce and do the marketing of our products in Texas," he said. "Each year we ship our dairy products to El Paso and also our sweet potatoes and tomatoes".

Portales a town of some 4,000 people maintains a dairy plant and a small canning plant. Last year this plant shipped out 60 carloads of canned tomatoes and 75 cars of fresh tomatoes, according to Mr. Seay. Added to this 100 cars of sweet potatoes were shipped out and beans from 200 acres. This record has been made each year for the past five years with the potatoes.

Mr. Seay has been serving the Portales chamber of commerce for the past ten years. He is pleased with Bryan, its broad Main street, attractive homes, municipal building, etc.

Former Resident Died Wednesday; Citizen of Waco

Bryan friends received news today of the death of J. Walter Barnett, aged 74 years, at his home in Waco Wednesday, after a lingering illness of many months. Funeral services were held in San Francisco.

Interscholastic County Contests Set for Mar. 21

C. M. Bethany, director general of the Interscholastic League for Brazos county, reports a splendid meeting of the executive committee, held this morning at 10 o'clock in the office of the county superintendent F. M. Vance, at the Brazos county court house. At this meeting the executive committee accepted the report of the athletic director W. D. Bunting, and commended him highly for the manner in which he handled the basketball tournament this week.

Routine matters of importance in planning for the county meet to be held March 21 were attended to. Each director was instructed to report the names of judges selected for their contests at the county meet. Each member of the league will be heard with reference to recommendation for judges. Each school will be required to send in a list of their contestants as elected by elimination by next Saturday, March 8, which date is the closing time for entrants.

The county meet will be held in Bryan Friday, March 21. The morning session at Bowie school and the afternoon and evening sessions at Stephen F. Austin high school.

All athletic events will be held Friday, March 21 at Allen Academy field. On the published program for the events, the senior girls' tennis contest was inadvertently left out of the program, but this event will also take place at Allen Academy on that day, Friday, March 21, at 3 p.m.

Vance Candidate For Re-Election As School Head

F. M. Vance, county superintendent of schools, has announced himself as a candidate for a second term and seeks the support of the voters of the county at the primaries in July. Mr. Vance, a native of Brazos county, has been teaching school for 15 years and most that time was employed in the rural school system of this county.

In speaking of his candidacy Mr. Vance said he desired to express his appreciation for the support accorded him at the election two years ago and also for the cooperation given him by the teaching force and the rural school trustees as well as by the public generally. "This could not have been given in greater measure," he said.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE

Teachers of the rural schools of Brazos county will hold their regular institute session Saturday morning, from 10 to 12 o'clock in the district court room. County Superintendent F. M. Vance is arranging for a special speaker for the occasion.

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LOVE SONG TURNS TO WAR CRY



Robert Redwing, Indian screen actor, has sued Charles Man- cravie, Osage Indian, in Long Beach, Cal., for \$310,000 damages charging alienation of the affections of his wife, Rose Marie, also of the films.

Star from Bryan Is Scoring Well, Report Howells

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Howell of this city, who, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Howell Jr., of Paris, France, are touring the Pacific coast, write friends in Bryan of the delights of their trip.

Last week, while in Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Sr., had the pleasure of attending the El Capitan Theatre in that city, where Ara Haswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Haswell of Bryan is starring in a brilliant production, "Ladies of the Jury", playing second lead with Mary Boland, popular stage favorite. Crowds are filling the theatres at every performance and the highest praise and appreciation is being given the work of Ara Haswell, according to Mr. and Mrs. Howell.

"Ladies of the Jury" has been running for the past month at the El Capitan Theatre, Los Angeles, and Monday night, March 3, the play opened its months engagement at the Alcazar Theatre in San Francisco.

J. Walter Barnett was born in Bastrop, and came to Bryan with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnett when a small lad. His parents for many years owned and operated the Barnett Hotel, which was located on the corner of Bryan avenue and west 25th street where the McCulloch-Dansbury furniture store now stands. Old time residents of Bryan remember well this hotel and its proprietor and also young J. Walter Barnett who grew to manhood in this city.

He married Miss Pauline Blyles, also of Bryan, and they lived in this city for many years after their marriage. For the past quarter of a century or more, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnett have made their home in Waco where he was connected with the McLellan Wholesale Grocery Company. The widow of the deceased and three children survive him.

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Large Audience Greets Revival Preacher Sunday

Dr. J. Earnest Thacker of Norfolk, Va., evangelist for the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, began a series of revival meetings in Bryan, Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour at the First Presbyterian church, assisted by the pastor, Dr. Thomas Gordon Watts. The evening service was held at the First Baptist church, at 7:45 p.m., at which hour Dr. Thacker preached to an audience that filled the large auditorium to its capacity.

Dr. Watts of the Presbyterian church announced that during the coming week, services would be held each afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian church, and each evening at 7:45 at the First Baptist church, and urged that the Christian people of Bryan and community, regardless of denomination, enter wholeheartedly into all the services.

The song services of the revival meeting are in charge of Mr. Betts who with Miss Maudelle Wiley at the piano, leads the congregational singing. Mr. Betts' solo on Sunday evening, "Alone, Alone", was greatly appreciated.

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Extension Club Members Enjoy Social Evening

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A refreshment course of coffee, fruit mousse and ladyfingers was served during an intermission in the series of progressive games. At the close of the game series, high score awards were made at each of the eight tables.

This was the second of a series of evening social affairs being sponsored by the Extension Service Club this year and which give opportunity for Extension Service workers and their families to spend a few hours together in purely social relation. These parties are growing very popular with both the staff members and members of the group which pursue a program of literary and civic study through the club proper.

De Molays Make \$25 Contribution To Endowment Fund

Brazos Chapter, Order of DeMolay, sponsored by Ivanhoe Commandery, Knights Templar, will make a \$25 contribution to the \$10,000,000 endowment fund which is being raised by an international campaign and which will be used to promote the activities and success of that organization throughout the eleven countries and islands where it has been established under Masonic sponsorship during the past ten years.

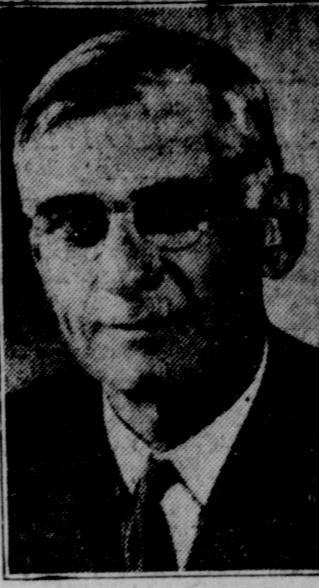
Among the repairs will be a new floor and ceiling, the tearing out of all partitions and a new front which will have two entrances so that the building may be used for two stores or one.

The equipment of the restaurant, which will not be reopened, was purchased by N. C. Allen.

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Discusses Wheat



Associated Press Photo
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NEGROES ARE FINED

Walter Williams and Sam Howard, Brazos county negroes who peppered each other some time ago with bird shot, were before Judge W. C. Davis Monday. Williams pleaded guilty to assault and the fine and costs were assumed by him and Howard, and against whom charges were dismissed.

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Rights-of-Way Necessary

Before the meeting of the county commissioners court next Monday County Judge A. S. McSwain hopes to have gathered information to present at the meeting on the matter of the right-of-way for Highway No. 6 from Bryan to Benchley, for which a new route has been approved. If this is secured it must be with the cooperation of the landowners whose holdings lie along the proposed route and the work of Judge McSwain this week will be a follow-up of that begun last Saturday when a considerable number of these landowners met at the court house and a good proportion of them agreed to cooperate with county officials in this work.

There is good reason for the cooperation of all citizens who can aid in this work. The stretch of road to be built between Bryan and Benchley is but a small part of the total mileage which the state highway commission will construct, as a result of the action of Brazos county voters last September in voting bonds in the sum of \$500,000 as the county's share in the construction of Highway No. 6 north and south through the county and Highway No. 21 east and west from one border of Brazos to the other. The total mileage is approximately 58 miles and on most of this, there is reason to believe, rights-of-way will have to be obtained and the county is bound to be at some expense in this even if the land is all given by citizens whose holdings are located on these routes.

The county has a fund of \$24,000 which may be used in securing this right-of-way. This figures a little more than \$400 per mile of proposed new highway and anyone who knows anything of realty values, even in the less fertile and prosperous sections of Brazos county, knows that such a sum would not go far in acquiring title to land for road purposes. What this money will do, however, is to aid in moving or replacing fences, digging new wells and in other construction work that may be necessary after land is given for new routes and changes have been made in farm properties incident to turning over this land to the county and state.

There is no question but that the people of this county are in favor of good roads. This was demonstrated last September. In the campaign preceding the bond issue election, which campaign was conducted on a high plane, there was more good will generated among all classes and types of citizens in Brazos county and a keener sense of our interdependence and of the fact that there can be no stable growth and development if it is for one section at the expense of another, than ever before was recorded in this county as a result of any public movement.

At this time, when we approach the beginnings of the improvements that will put Brazos county on a par with other progressive counties in the state from an angle of good roads and when we are actually at the dawn of an era of improvement and development that should mean much to every citizen, there is perhaps greater need than ever for the spirit of cooperation that was so evident last fall. No citizen in Brazos county will fail to benefit from the permanent improvement of the road system of the county. If this improvement fails for any reason, there is no resident, and especially no property holder, who will not suffer. In fact, those who have most to gain or most to lose are those who will be in closest contact with the new highways. It is to their interest, more than to any other class, to see this improvement through.

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A Billion Dollar State

Although much has been said of the short cotton crop and of the low price as factors in bringing about an unwelcome economic condition for many Texas farmers and business men, yet figures given out by the federal department of agriculture give reason to still class Texas as a billion dollar state agriculturally. These figures, too, emphasize the fact that more and more diversification is being practiced and after studying them there is reason to believe that this development aided materially in preventing the agricultural situation in the state from becoming more serious than it admittedly is.

The report of the federal department estimates that 67 principal crops raised in Texas brought the farmers a little more than \$610,500,000. The leading competitor of Texas, the great corn growing state of Iowa, realized \$510,000,000 from its crops. The total value of agricultural products the country over, as reported by the department, was only slightly more than in 1928. The 1929 figures are \$7,678,049,000 compared with \$7,611,278,000 in 1928. But in Texas the value of farm production dropped about \$145,000,000, caused almost entirely by the short cotton crop and lower prices. Last year the yield was approximately 3,500,000 bales, compared with more than five million in 1928 and the record crop of 5,628,000 bales in 1925.

But while the cotton picture of 1929 was a gloomy one there was a brighter side to the agricultural production story. Returns from most the other principal crops—wheat, foodstuffs, potatoes, green vegetables and fruit—increased in 1929. The production of vegetables and of fruits was materially higher and the wheat crop, approximately 37,500,000 bushels, was a record one for the state and most farmers are said to have received fairly satisfactory prices. The corn harvest was below the average but other feed crops—among them the grain sorghums—more than offset this loss. In addition there was more hay and such legumes as soy beans and cowpeas—fine roughage for meat animals and dairy cows—grown in 1929 than before and there should be increases in these crops this year, as many Texas farmers are still shipping in corn from Iowa to feed out their live stock.

The figures given by the federal department do not take into consideration such items as the returns from meat animals, dairy products, wool and mohair, which might well be classified as agricultural products. If these are figured in then Texas is in the billion dollar class agriculturally for 1929, just as she was for 1928.

But the most important phase of the record of the activities of last year, from an agricultural point of view, was the growth in production of dairy products, the plant-

News Items From The Eagle's Rural Correspondents

MILLCAN NEWS

BRAZOS COUNTY
Boys' And Girls' Club Department

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Benson and Home Demonstration Agent Lucy Givens

Take Many Gophers

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dickson made a business trip to Bryan Tuesday. Mrs. Steve Moore and little son were in Millican for a short time Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Crenshaw of Bryan spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Syms.

Miss Doris Simpson, student at San Marcos, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. B. Simpson.

Mrs. Chas. Jackson has moved from the Clay Farm to Millican and is located at the Aura Curd home.

Arch Smith has moved his family to the Clay farm occupying the place vacated by Mrs. Jackson.

Mrs. R. E. Dunlap has returned from Corsicana, where she has been with her sister, Mrs. Taylor, who has been very ill.

Mrs. Era McFerrin and little son of Dallas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Bradley.

According to Grimes county's version of oil activities you would think Allen Farm was in Grimes county. Well that is as it should be. Brazos county has not one iota of interest in that section. Grimes county owns it "lock stock and barrel." But as for the oil situation, watch Cawthon and the Petersburg sections of Brazos county, Peach Creek, Millican and Dinkins are also in Brazos county.

Harvey

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Blanton and children visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Henssler last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sellers and Robert Sellers of Houston have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Raines.

Mrs. Ira Kelley has returned to her home in Carrizo Springs after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Andrews of Bryan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jones of Allen Farm spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weddon.

Mrs. Nunn Jones and baby and Miss Lola Rosier spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Rosier of Wixon community.

We are glad to note that Mrs. N. C. Cole who was operated on for appendicitis is rapidly improving.

Edgar Peters Jr. of Bryan spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Peters.

Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. Nona Belle Holland and little son, Jackey, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes.

Mrs. Martha Holland, who spent the past week with Mrs. J. D. Jones has returned to Bryan to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peters, Sunday.

Mrs. Maymie Moye, the health nurse and Dr. R. H. Harrison came out one day last week and vaccinated the school children. We have learned that some of them are having quite a time with their arms.

Mrs. W. C. Raines has returned to her home after spending last week-end in Houston.

Steep Hollow

Miss Virgie Hopkins of Bryan visited Miss Erma Bullock Saturday and Sunday and also attended Sunday School and church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Todd of Harvey visited in the home of A. C. Thompson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. and M. College and a number of others from Bryan came out Friday night and gave a program. A large crowd attended.

Rev. Vancy of Madison county preached for us Saturday night and Sunday. He preached a great sermon Saturday night, using as his subject, "What I think of Christ." He preached a still better sermon Sunday using as his subject, "Ye Are Bought With a Price."

Steep Hollow should appreciate the visit of Rev. Vancy and his sermons. Our missionary preached for us again Sunday night.

Elbert Bullock and Woodrow Gregg, Miss Louise Thompson Worsham of Bryan attended and Master J. O. Alexander spent the week-end in Houston.

ing of more acres to feed crops and the increase in fruit and vegetable crops. It would appear that the Texas farmer is coming slowly but surely to a diversification scheme that will more nearly insure a profitable year and that will, in addition, aid in building up and conserving the fertility of the soil. This movement is gaining strength in Brazos county and both business men and farmers should give this matter careful thought and all the encouragement possible. The future growth and prosperity of the county depends largely upon just how rapidly this movement to assure and to increase agricultural revenues grows.

HOOVER SCHOOL IN VIRGINIA MOUNTAINS OPENS



Associated Press Photo

Twenty eager children attended the opening classes at the community school sponsored by President Hoover at Dark Hollow, Va., in the Blue Ridge mountains. The teacher, Christine Vest, is shown at the rear of the room. Ray Burraker, the mountain lad who interested the President in the school, is in the front seat in the foreground.

Community Club
Formed Tuesday
At Steep Hollow

Edge Items

A community club was organized by citizens of the Steep Hollow community on Tuesday evening under the direction of County Agent C. L. Benson.

Officers for the year were selected as follows: President, Aubrey Tobias; vice president, Will Richards; secretary, Miss Berdie Ringer. The newly elected officers will meet at an early date with the group from the Bryan Lions Club named to sponsor activities in that community and together they will outline programs for meetings throughout the year.

Following the organization of the club, C. Edgar Jones of the First State Bank and Trust Company, addressed the meeting on the importance of increased feed supplies for livestock on Brazos county farms. Mr. Jones stressed the importance of economy and efficiency in feeding and outlined a plan whereby every farming com-

unity in the county might secure row binders and feed grinders to take care of grain sorghums grown for feed.

The response to Mr. Jones' talk would indicate, according to Mr. Benson, that some 200 acres of grain sorghums will be planted in the Steep Hollow section this year as additional provision for feeding livestock next autumn.

Hearne Chamber of
Commerce Elects
Board of Directors

HEARNE, Mar. 1.—At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night the following directors were elected: W. H. Ely, J. C. Waltmon, R. W. Marshall, Morris Cohen, R. M. Duffey, R. H. Woody, S. D. Heyser, H. W. Cummings, W. K. Waltmon, W. D. Blackstone, C. L. Dillard, E. T. Robbins, M. L. Westbrook, J. G. Philen, J. T. Hamilton. The last eight named are holdovers.

Mrs. George Stephan and little daughter Gloria Glynn, are spending a few days with friends in Houston.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Estill, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Patronella and Mrs. I. H. Bartz motored to Calvert on Friday evening and assisted in the organization of an American Legion Auxiliary in that city.

Mrs. Estill, district chairman for this district, acted as installing officer and presided over the ceremonies of formal institution. Mrs. Bartz, president of the local auxiliary, addressed the meeting on some of the activities an auxiliary may successfully follow in the community.

There were twelve charter members present to found the new auxiliary, and a full board of officers was installed by Mrs. Estill.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The government strenuously opposed in the supreme court today the payment of interest on war risk insurance policies.

WHERE
DO YOU BUY YOUR GAS
AND OIL?

Your county tax payers who operate their own stations will be glad to serve you. They deserve your business—because they are a part of your community—the profit on your purchases remains in your county—your money is not sent away before you use up your gasoline or oil. The local independent oil stations are convenient to all. They help you. Why not help them?

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Iowa's Beauty



REAL BENEFIT

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eral Henry S. Locke presented those present as follows: Misses Maude Wiley, Rita Kraft, Mildred Salley, Grace Brown and Mrs. Mabel Gibbons; Messrs. N. F. Locker, Walter Johnson, Frank Boris and Otis Gayle.

Misses Salley and Brown rendered a duet, singing one of their minstrel songs, "Where the Sweet For-Get-Me-Not Remember."

President Durham called a meeting of the board of directors for next Monday night at 7:30 to meet with Secretary R. C. Franks at his office.

Lions present were Harry L. Durham, M. M. Erskine, S. E. Eberstadt, F. D. Fuller, R. C. Franks, H. O. Ferguson, C. B. Holzmann, Joe Kaplan, W. E. Leverkuhn, Henry S. Locke, Thos. Gordon Watts, A. S. Ware, Bill Wimberly, Fred Hale, C. C. Todd Jr., Mit Dansby, Chas. S. Myers, D. Paul Dansby, E. L. Lyons and C. A. Scary.

Visitors: J. Ernest Thacker, W. Furman Betts, Frank J. Boris, Otis Gayle, N. F. Locker, S. C. Hoyle, Grace Brown, Mrs. E. H. Gibbons, Mildred Salley, Rita Kraft, Maude Wiley, Walter Johnson, Jess E. McGehee and Mrs. Roy Danforth, pianist.

BUILDING

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highway, in order that the farmer or community trade might have access at all times not only to the state highway but to the main business center of his trading point, and also to provide a way to come in or go out for the residents of such community. It would seem to me to be against sound economic judgment or good public policy to deflect the location of an important state highway, carrying 2,000 or 3,000 or perhaps 5,000 vehicles per day, two or three miles out of the general course in order to pass through the main business district of a community which would perhaps not originate more than 100 to 200 per day.

It should require and demand the careful thought of the people of any state and they should weigh the relative advantages and disadvantages in districts and cities to the traveling public. As I have shown by figures already given, it has been the policy of the Texas Highway Department and it is still our policy to link together the various towns with state highways.

One of the chief arguments in



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Model Farming Program Based on Operations With 160 Acres Now Worked Out by Oklahoma Official

By NELL BENTLEY

Extension Service officials in the state of Oklahoma have outlined a program of farming based on the farm of 160 acres as a unit and adapted to the encouragement of livestock and feed crops combined with cotton, wheat and other cash crops.

Weather conditions, rainfall and soil types in Oklahoma are much like those of Texas, so we are passing the Oklahoma plan on to our readers for what it may be worth in the matter of getting proper balance in areas planted to feed and pasture crops this year in our proposed cotton reduction campaign in Brazos county.

Dr. D. P. Trent, director of Extension Service in Oklahoma, states that every farm family should have at least one good cow and two if possible and should set aside two acres of the best and most fertile land on the farm to be devoted to the raising of garden vegetables and small fruits such as berries and grapes for use on the family table.

In addition to a cow and a good garden, it is the opinion of Director Trent that each family should have at least one good brood sow to produce pork for the family table and one or more beef animals should be raised each year to be butchered for home use. The greater part of the beef may be canned with a pressure cooker and stored away for use throughout the year.

Not less than 50 or 75 hens should be kept by every farm family to supply eggs for the family table, and these should be properly housed and fed to assure the greatest profit from their maintenance.

One or more acres about each farm house should be devoted to fruit trees that will produce fruits well distributed through the growing seasons. Early varieties of apples and peaches, cherries, plums, later varieties of peaches and apples and pears, round out the most dependable varieties for Oklahoma and to this, for our section of Texas, we might add figs that will bear from early summer until frost. It is necessary of course to give the home orchard proper care in the way of pruning, spraying and cultivation.

Provision for storing, canning and preserving surplus fruits and vegetables should be a part of every farm home's equipment. In this way a supply of fruits and vegetables may be stored away for use out of the growing season, and these will be much cheaper than the same foods may be secured out of season at local markets.

A few stands of bees or a small patch of sorghum cane is recommended for each farm family in order that a supply of home made sweets may be available practically the year around for the farm table. Of course the average Oklahoma family has no idea how superior good old ribbon cane syrup is to sorghum syrup and most any family in Brazos county could raise enough ribbon cane to produce a year's supply of syrup for the family.

This is the set-up to provide for the farm table recommended for farm families living on 160 acres farms in Oklahoma, and in most sections of that state, there is an average of one farm family to each 160 acre block of land.

The feed requirements for the average farmstead in Oklahoma will be supplied, in the opinion of Director Trent, if the following ratio, which should just about serve the average 160 acre farm, is observed:

Eight head of work stock will require 400 bushels of corn, 16 tons of hay and 8 acres of pasture. Just here it might be appropriate to remark that recent authority on the subject of the importance of pasture in a diversified farming program has decreed that the term "pasture" does not mean merely an area of brush and waste land surrounded by a barb wire fence. That term today implies sufficient food in the form of grasses, clovers or small grains.

For twelve head of dairy cattle, 240 bushels of corn, 24 tons of hay and 24 acres of pasture should be provided.

Eight head of hogs will require 80 bushels of corn and 2 acres of pasture.

Seventy-five chickens should have 56 bushels of corn or an equivalent feed value in grain sorghums.

On this basis, the average farm should produce 776 bushels of corn or its equivalent in grain sorghums, oats, etc.; 40 tons of hay and maintain from 30 to 35 acres of pasture land. To provide for animals on the average farm of 160 acres, according to the foregoing schedule, feed crops such as corn and grain sorghums must be planted on 48 to 50 acres; hay crops on 20 to 25 acres; pasture maintained on 30 to 35 acres; fruits, garden and food crops on 2 to 5 acres; which arrangement will leave 40 to 50 acres to be planted in cotton, wheat or other money crops.

It is granted that intensive cultivation methods and the use of fertilizers will increase the yields of most any farm crop adapted

for planting in either Texas or Oklahoma to a point where the acreage devoted to the production of any one crop might be reduced and the land devoted to some other enterprise of profit. Any increase in the number of work animals, beef cattle, dairy cattle, hogs, sheep or other livestock, should be given due consideration in mapping out a crop at the planting season.

If every farmer in Texas and Oklahoma and other cotton producing states will stick to a system of farming as well planned and as well balanced in relation to the livestock and food production as the one recommended for Oklahoma, the South will be better off in many other ways and there will be little possibility of a cotton surplus in 1930 or subsequent years, which would force the cotton grower to sell his crop at less than production cost.

Four Men Held In Killing of Miller Co. Man

By Associated Press

TEXARKANA, Ark., March 4.—Four men are under arrest as suspects today in the murder of Lloyd Elliott, young farmer whose body was recovered from the Sulphur River Monday. The men were arrested by J. E. Elliott, county jailor and uncle of the slain youth, in whose body bullet wounds were found.

The men were arrested after discovery of a blood-stained pair of trousers and gun shells corresponding to those found near the body. A large crowd was gathered around the jail and Sheriff G. H. Brooks took precautions against any attempts at violence.

The coroner said Elliott had been shot in the back of the head

Many Children Rural Schools Are Vaccinated

Work of vaccinating pupils in the rural schools is being carried on rapidly, according to the reports made at the meeting of the county health committee held Saturday.

Fourteen of the rural schools have been visited and scores of pupils vaccinated. Four of them, Eickey, Stabler, Knob Prairie and Woodville, were 100 percent. Fourteen other rural schools remain to be visited. The vaccination work is done by Dr. R. H. Harrison, county health officer.

The negro rural schools have been visited by the negro health nurse and 338 children inspected. The work of a vaccination will be started in the negro rural schools this week, and will be done by Drs. W. A. Hammond and A. E. Thompson.

LIQUOR TOTING CHARGED

Buster Vaughn, negro, was arrested Saturday night by Constable Horace Reed and charged with transporting intoxicants. He was released on \$300 bond and will be given a preliminary hearing one day this week by Justice J. T. McGee.

Bryan Hi Boys Judging Team Wins Sixth Place at East Texas Dairy Show; 33 Teams Enter in Contest

The dairy judging team from Bryan high school department of vocational agriculture returned last night from Tyler where they took part in the second students' judging contest held in connection with the annual East Texas Dairy Show. The team placed sixth this year in a list of 33 teams from all sections of East Texas, losing fifth place money by the slender margin of one point. Less than ten points separated the third and sixth place teams and 90 points between first and sixth. The boys composing the team from Bryan are Ted McGregor, Elio Heddle, and Joe Cotropia.

The competition was much keener in the contest this year than last year when the Bryan team won second place. The team this year scored only four points less than the team in last year's competition.

Ted McGregor was high point student on the Bryan team with 234 points; Joe Cotropia 229 points, and Elio Heddle 222 points.

The five first place teams as they finished were Marshall, Garland, Mesquite, Linden, and Bonham.

In the 4-H contest there were 15 teams competing and the five first place winners for counties represented were Van Zandt, Titus, Smith, Lamar and Harrison.

The formal opening was followed by the students' and club boys' judging contests which were completed about 7 o'clock in the evening.

There were on exhibition this year around 250 head of fine dairy cattle representing the Jersey, Holstein and Guernsey breeds.

Several of the prominent farm machinery companies had large and elaborate displays of up-to-date labor saving machinery on the grounds and were giving demonstrations throughout the day.

The formal opening of the second annual East Texas Dairy Show was held at 1:30 yesterday with District Agent George E. Adams in charge. He introduced Hon. Gus Taylor, president of

BRAZOS ROADS DISCUSSED AT C. C. MEETING

NEED FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR STATE ROADS IS EMPHASIZED

Discussion of the proposed road work in Brazos county by the state highway commission on Highway No. 6 and 21 was general at the meeting of the directors of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce this morning. The matter was brought to the attention of the board by County Judge A. S. McSwain for presentation to the commissioners court next Monday. The judge expects to visit the various farmers over whose lands the new route will run in order to get figures on costs of securing the right of way, for which many of the farmers have agreed to give land but ask that the county pay some of the costs of moving back fences and doing other necessary work.

The situation was discussed from this point of view, not only in relation to the north section of Highway No. 6 but in connection with other sections of state designated roads to be built in Brazos county.

The matter of the 1930 census, to be taken in April, was brought up by President W. S. Higgs, who stressed the importance of this work and the need for reliable enumerators.

J. Webb Howell, who just has returned from a visit to various points in Texas, stated that at no point did he find conditions generally so good as in Brazos county and that he was glad to be home again. Although conditions are comparatively good here, Mr. Howell urged that efforts be continued for community development and improvement and that diversification be urged among the farmers on a larger scale than ever and that one crop system of farming should be permanently discarded in Brazos county.

Directors present were N. B. Allen, F. L. Cavitt, J. S. Caldwell, M. Damsby, W. K. Gibbs, F. L. Henderson, J. Webb Howell, W. S. Higgs, Tyler Haswell, A. S. McSwain, W. C. Mitchell, M. L. Parker and Mrs. Lee J. Rountree.

COMMITTED TO ASYLUM

Two Brazos county women, Mrs. Annie Aalento and Mrs. Tracy Shustella, were committed to the state insane asylum at Austin by County Judge A. S. McSwain and were taken to the capital this morning by Sheriff J. H. Reed and Constable Horace Reed.

STEEP HOLLOW PLANS BIG FEED ACREAGE

C. M. Risinger of Steep Hollow was among the prominent farmers of the county trading with Bryan merchants today. Mr. Risinger thinks the increased feed acreage campaign now being carried on in this county will meet with good response in the Steep Hollow community.

LOSING HUNGRY DECREASE

According to the Texas commission on interracial cooperation, there were only 10 lynchings recorded in 1929, and three of these were in Texas. Florida led with 4 while Mississippi, Kentucky and Tennessee each reported one each. Thus far this year no lynchings have been reported from Texas.

IF RE-ELECTED MR. WEHRMAN BELIEVES HIS EXPERIENCE IN THE PAST TWO YEARS, ESPECIALLY IN ROAD WORK, WILL MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR HIM TO GIVE EVEN BETTER SERVICE THAN IN THE PAST, ESPECIALLY IN CONNECTION WITH THE COMPARATIVELY LARGE AMOUNT OF WORK THAT IS TO BE DONE.

In speaking of his candidacy Mr. Wehrman expresses his appreciation for all support given him in the past and for the cooperation he has received in his efforts to give his district and the county the best possible administration.

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WEHRMAN IS OUT FOR SECOND TERM AS COMMISSIONER

Fred A. Wehrman of Smetana, county commissioner for Precinct No. 3, has announced himself as a candidate before the July primaries for re-election. Mr. Wehrman is now serving his first term.

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This was decided on at a meeting of the board held Monday night and the conduct of the fair and the establishment of various departments, as well as other details, will be discussed with the members of the advisory council.

Cost Is Sought Of Right of Way On Highway No. 6

LOCAL TEAM WILL TACKLE ESTELLINE FRIDAY MORNING

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, March 5.—The high spot in 1929-30 high school basketball season will be reached in Austin the end of this week when the finals in the high school basketball tournament are played at the Austin High School gym. Thirteen high school fives, representing over 1,400 clubs which took part in the county, district and bi-district tournaments will be in the play-off for the title.

Drawings for the first round were made Monday by Roy Henderson, director of athletics of the University of Texas Interscholastic League.

Denton, Athens and Breckenridge drew byes for the initial round.

For the initial round of play Friday morning the following pairs were announced:

Denison vs. Edinburg; Corsicana vs. Ralls; Bryan vs. Estelline.

The afternoon's play will find Devine lining up against Bowie High School of El Paso and Austin playing John H. Reagan High School of Houston.

Athens and Denton, the two favorites in the tournament meet in the second round of play Friday afternoon while the winners of the Denison-Edinburg affair will meet the Breckenridge five Friday night. The winner of the Corsicana-Ralls mele will tangle with the winner of the Bryan-Estelline game and winner in the Devine-Bowie fray will clash with the victor of the Austin-Reagan tilt to compete with the second round of play.

Losers semi-finals will meet in a consolation game to determine third place winner as the curtain raiser for the battle for the championship Saturday night. Officials for the tournament will be Dusty Boggess, Marty Karow, Pete Cawthon and Ziggy Sears.

CITY SUPT. H. L. DURHAM RETURNS FROM NEA MEET

H. L. Durham, superintendent of Bryan city schools, returned Monday afternoon from Atlantic City, New Jersey, where for the past ten days he had been attending the annual meeting of the Superintendents Section of the National Education Association. Mr. Durham arrived Monday afternoon and was met at College Station by Mrs. Durham and the children.

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